

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



FISCAL NOTE

SB 1120 - HB 1342

February 14, 2019

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires that currently required written notices be provided to the insured at least three days before the insured receives services from an out-of-network facility-based physician.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 56-7-120, written notice is required prior to the insured receiving services from an out-of-network facility-based physician. If the insured is receiving medical services through a hospital emergency department or is incapacitated or unconscious at the time of receiving services, the written notice is not required until the insured is stabilized.
- Requiring the notification to be made at least three days before the insured receives services will not impact any programs or policies of the Department of Commerce and Insurance, Benefits Administration or the Division of TennCare; therefore, any fiscal impact is estimated to be not significant.

IMPACT TO COMMERCE:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumption:

- Establishing that the currently required written notification is to be provided at least three days before the insured receives services will not result in a significant impact on commerce and jobs in Tennessee.

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CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Krista Lee Carsner". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Krista Lee Carsner, Executive Director

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